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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Shoji HASHIMOTO et al.

Group Art Unit: 2855

Application No.: 10/659,294

Examiner: T. Miller

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For: FORCE SENSING ELEMENT

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In reply to the November 10, 2004 Office Action, and in view of the January 26, 2005 personal interview, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.